

FIG. 1 is a block diagram of a system 100 for managing a service. The system 100 includes a Library 150, a Job Database 114, a Respository 116, and a Job Management Apparatus 104. The Job Management Apparatus 104 includes a Client Communications Part 112, a Provider Communications Part 126, an Assigning Part 108, an Extracting Part 120, a Retrieving Part 118, a Queue 122, and a Contact Part 110. The system 100 also includes Clients 102a, 102b, and 102c, which are a web server, a fax server, and an other server, respectively. The system 100 further includes a Service X 124, which includes a Provider Manager 124 and three Service Providers 106a, 106b, and 106c. The system 100 also includes a Table 128 with columns Address and Service, and a Respository 116.

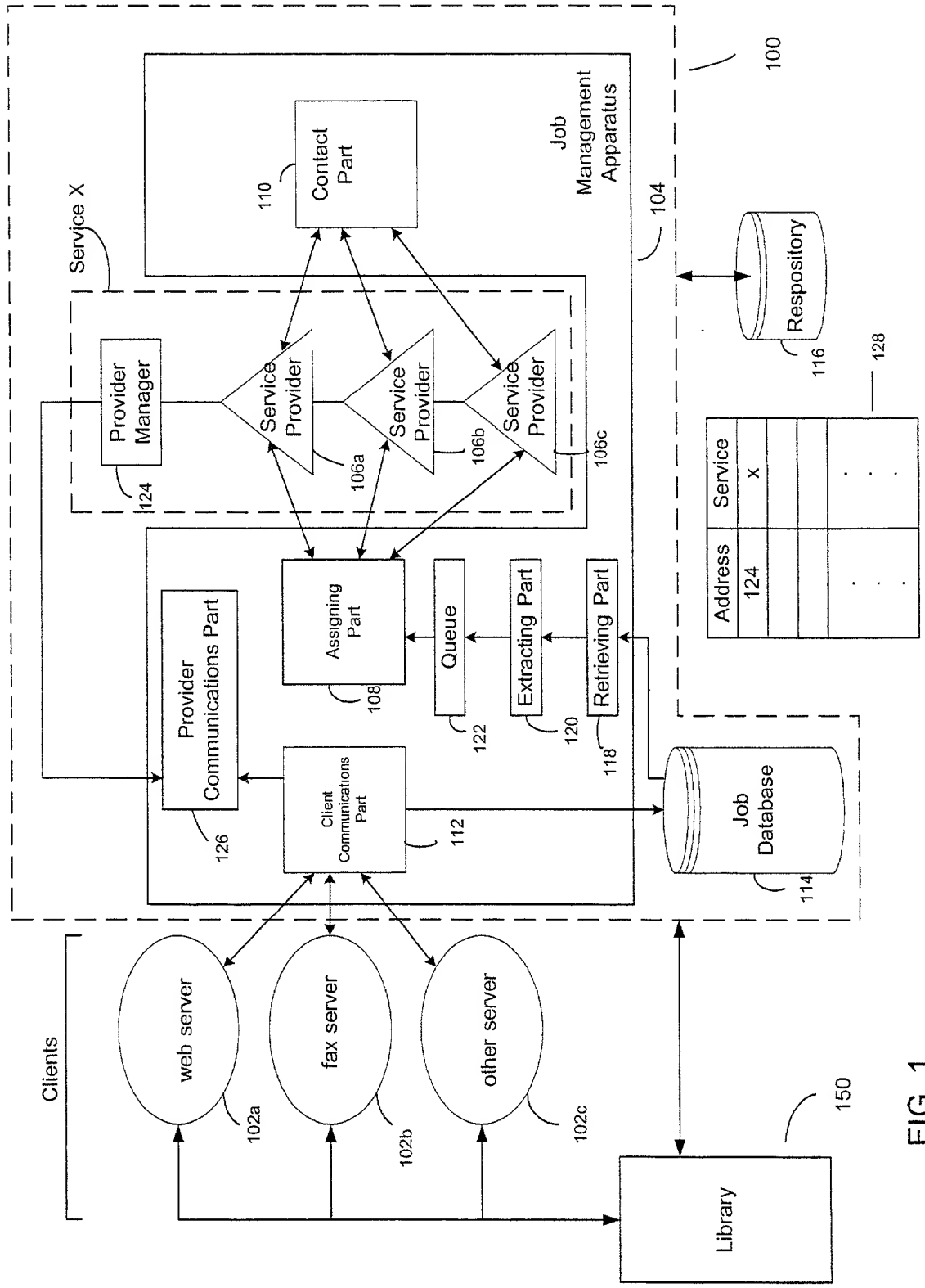


FIG. 1

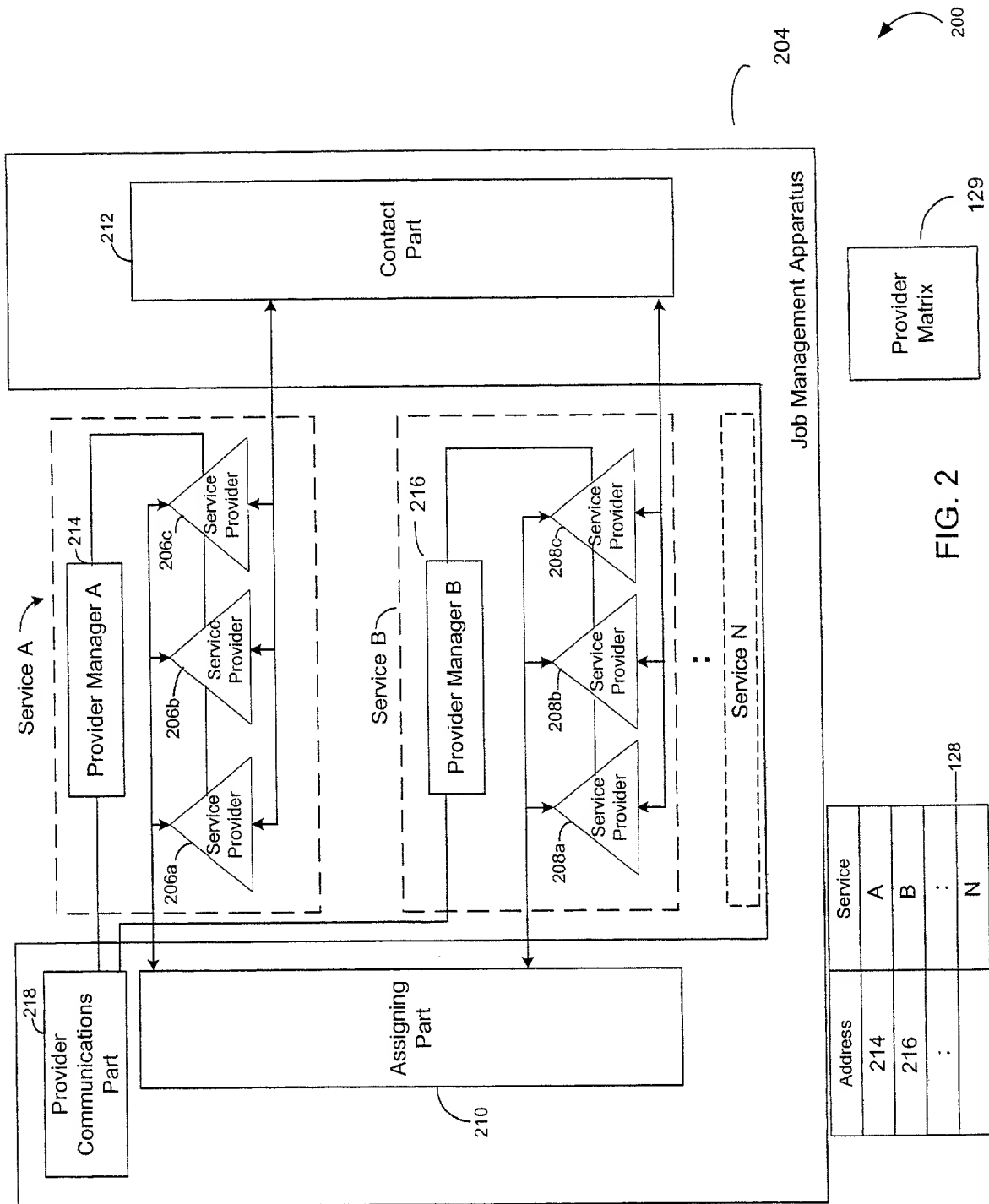


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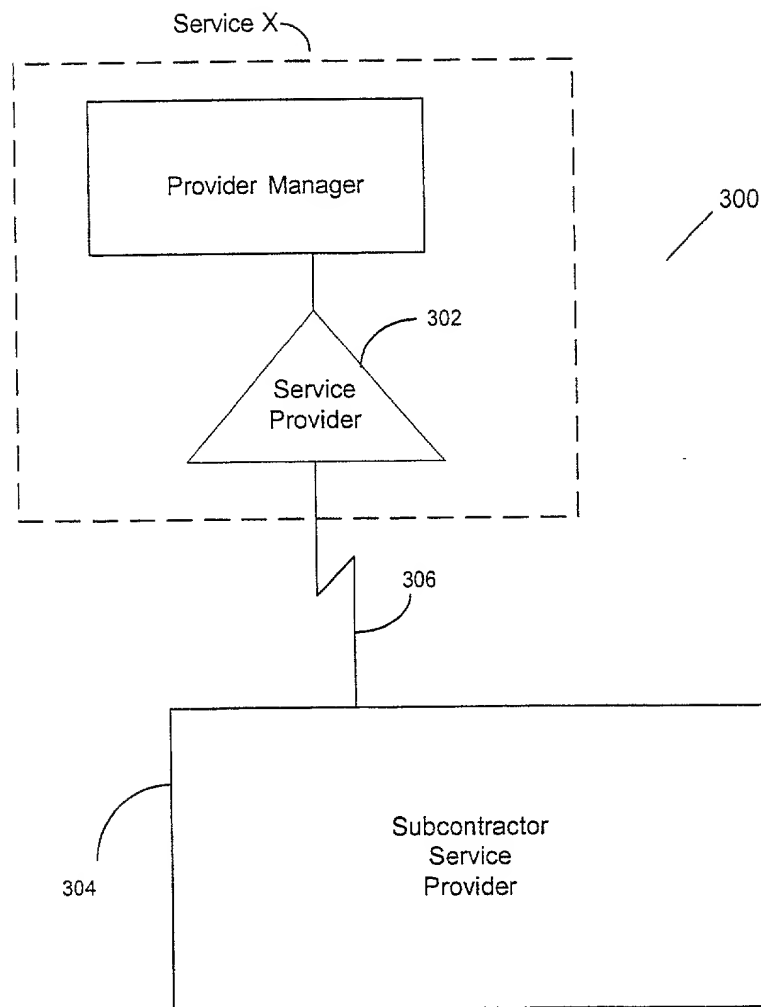


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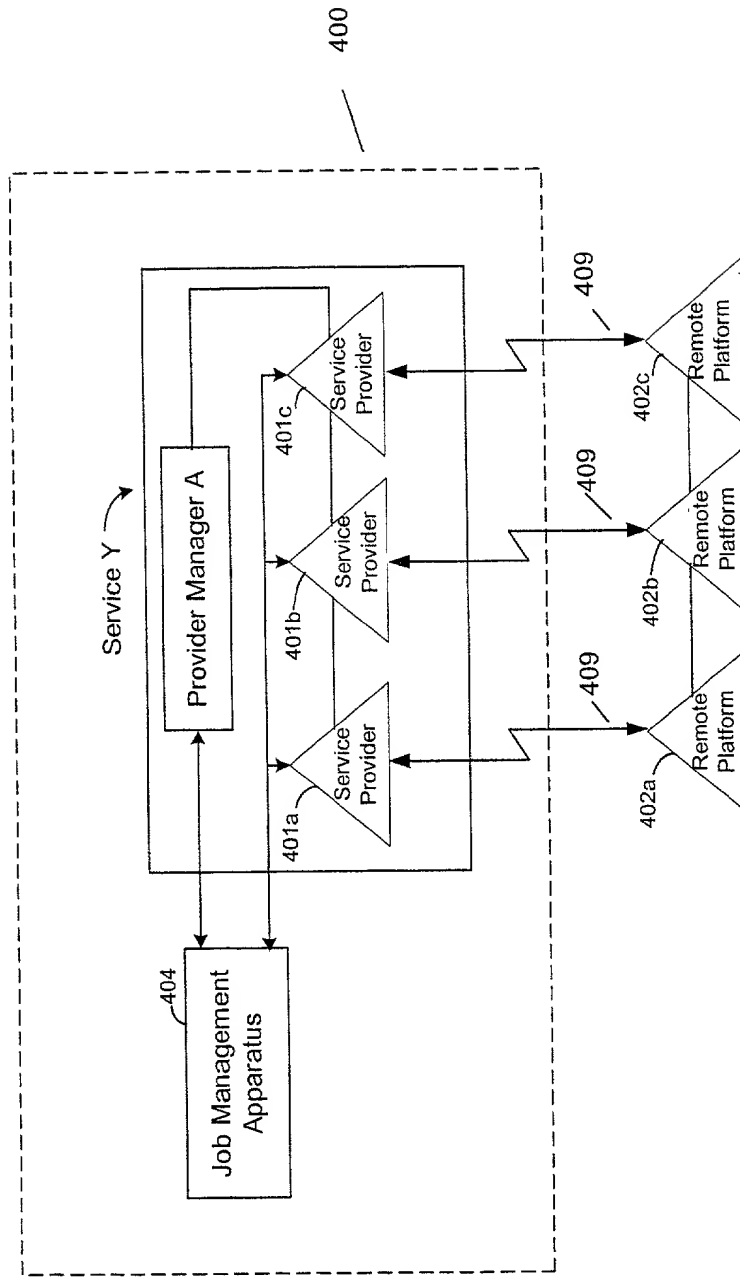


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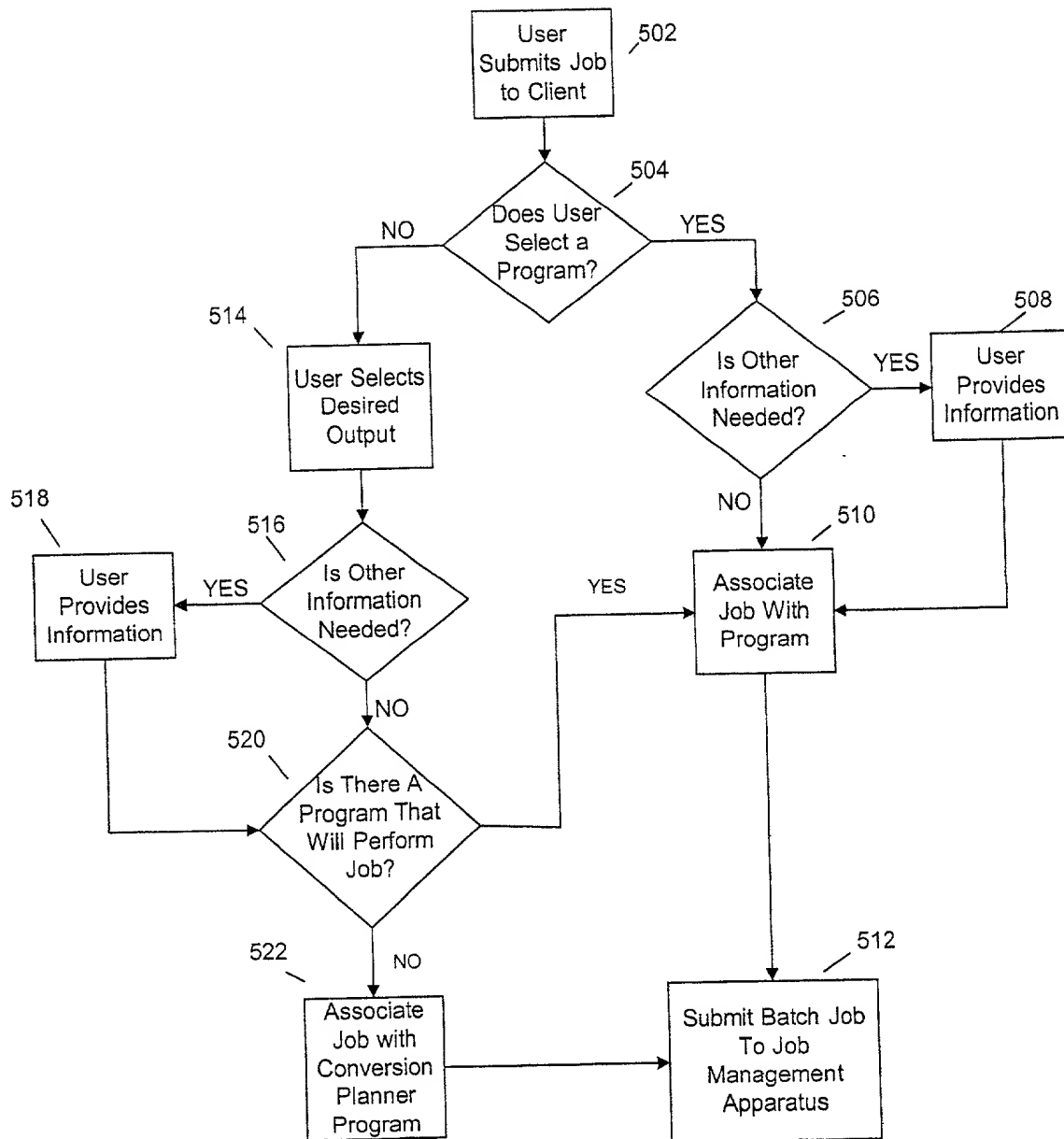


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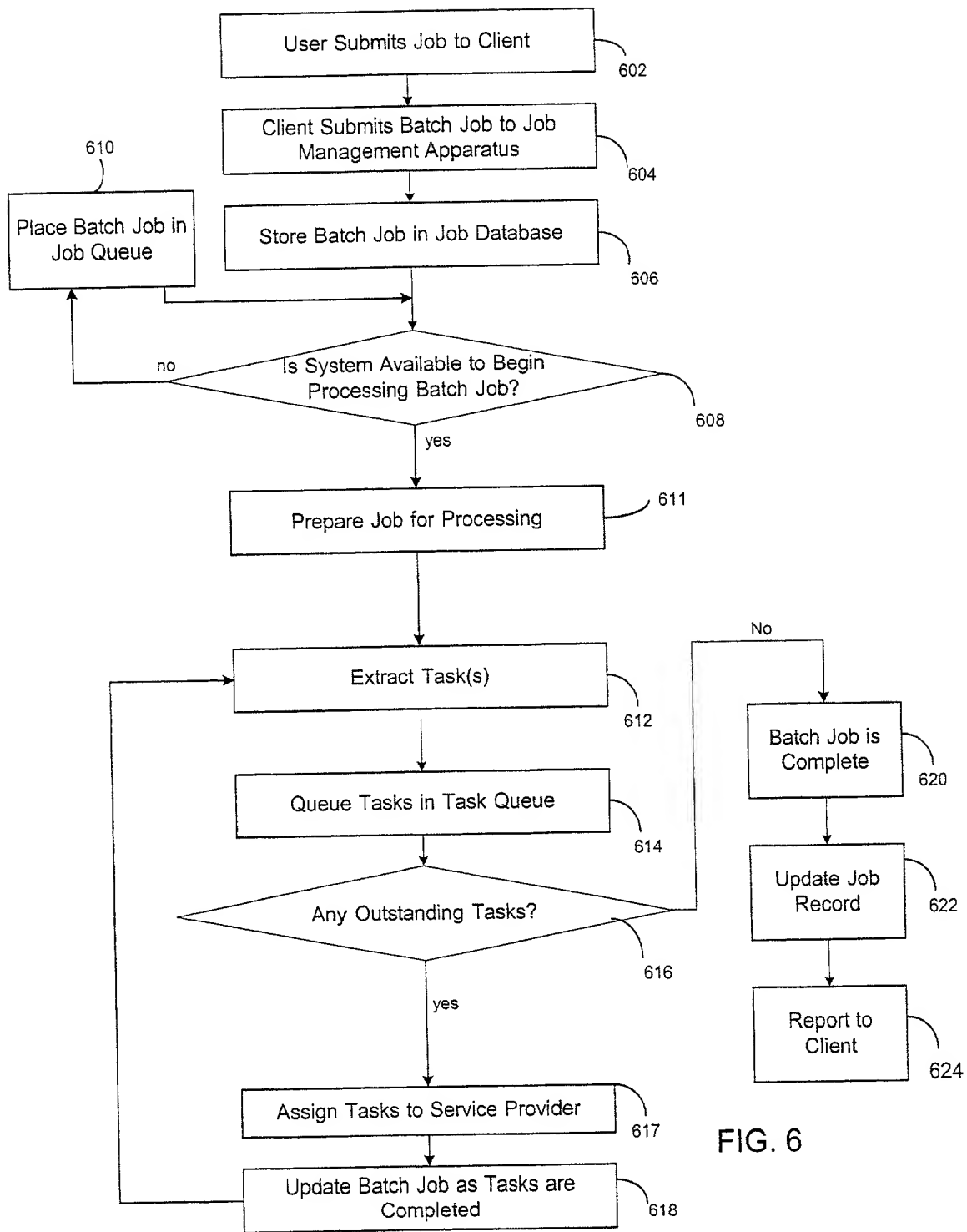


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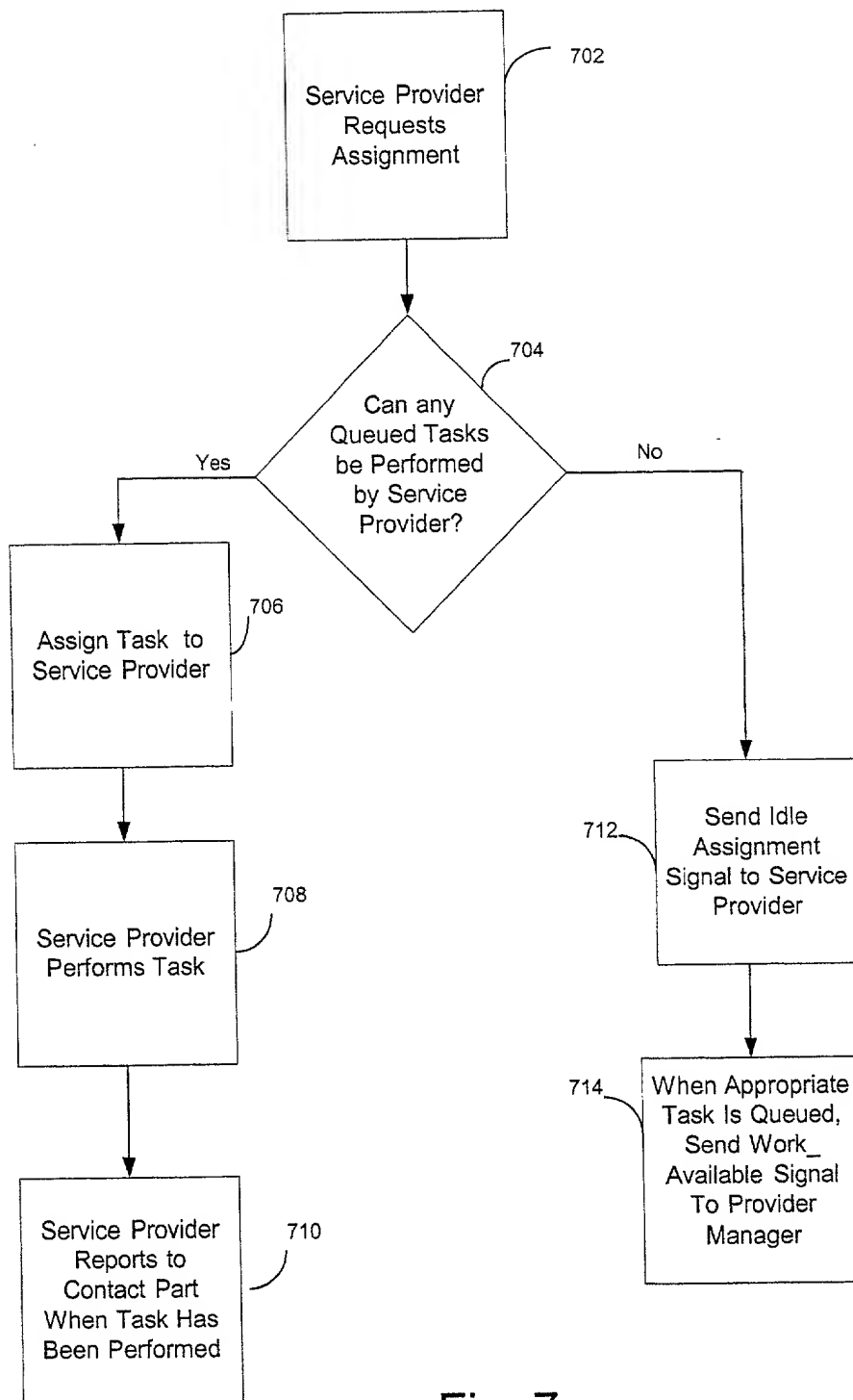


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